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Misses' Serge and KidPolish shoe, scalloptop, at the City Shoe Store, corner Commercial avenue and Eighth street.

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TRUE.-There can be no doubt that Baugh is, par excellence, the boot and shoemaker of Cairo. He challenges competition in his trade, and assures the publie that he will guarantee to his customers satisfaction. His shop is on Eighth street near the corner of Ohio Levee.

WE see by our exchanges that the tickets to the grand gift festival at Omaha are being rapidly taken. It seldom happens when one has an bonest chance to win a fortune in a legal enterprise, like the one n aid of a public library at Omaha.

A HAPPY FAMILY.-We have often heard the remark that if you want good weet bread in the family, you must have a good natured and even tempered cook to make it. As an additional aid, we would recommend the unrivaled Charter Oak cooking stove, which will insure the happy owner not only a well-cooked, palatable meal, but also a contented and cheerful

TAKE IT, take it on, and keep a taking it; reduce the dose so that it acts as a gentle laxative, and continue it on regularly It is a tonic, and will strengthen you. I took a long time to confirm your disease, and you can't get well in a day. Simmons' Liver Regulator, if persisted in, will cure the .nost stubborn liver disease. There is no failure about it. myl6dlw

MACHINES. - Attention wishing a first-class machine is called to the persons late naproved Wheeler and Wilson's. They cannot be excelled for a family machine, or for light manufacturing purposes. All are invited to call and examine the improvements. J. C. CARSON. ap30d1m Agents, Cairo, Ill.

St. Nicholas. - Day boarders can secure good accommodations at the St. Nichclas (formerly the St. James) at \$4 per week. The house is at the corner of Ohio levee and Eighth street, a central location. and is proprietored by Harry Walker, who is allve to the wants of his patrons. Parties desiring boarding and lodging can learn terms on inquiry at the office. may3dtf

FOR SALE .- The undersigned will sell at private sale the following described property: Four work horses; 2 sets double harness; 2 two-horse wagons; several plows and other agricultural implements. Parties desiring to purchase will call at her residence or at Robt. Bribach's, opposite the court house. Terms of sale, half cash; balance on six month's credit, with good security. apr22d1m Mas. KATIE COOPER.

THE FENTON CORN MILL.-This establishment, corner of Commercial avenue and Twentieth street, is now in charge of Mr. M. D. Gunter, who having purchased and thoroughly refitted it, invites the attention of the public to the fact that he is now prepared to furnish dealers and families with the very best article of corn meal. Orders left at the mill or sent through the postoffice will receive prompt attention.

FITZGERALD'S SAMPLE ROOMS .- Persons bibulously inclined, lovers of the exhilerating juice of the corn and juice of the grape, or malt beverages, should call immediately at the sample rooms, on corner Commercial avenue and Fourteenth street Besides everything in the drinking line, of the purest kind, he has the most fragrant Havana cigars, importations from Cuba, that land of narcotic weeds. Fitzgerald keeps a first-class place, and has with him Jimmy English, who knows everybody, and knows the wants of everybody and who is a gentleman, every

inch of him. WE have been requested to say that Elliott & Haythorn have now on exhibition, and for sale, everything in the boot and shoe line for ladies, and gentlemen's wear; and that all their goods are new and stylish.

Judge Marchildon, of Thebes, was in the city yesterday.

-The Cairo box and basket factory in full tide of operation. Its capacity is 50,000 to 60,000 boxes daily.

Ladies' Serge (Polish) shoes French Kid, foxed, at City Shoe Store, corner of Commercial avenue and Eighth street. -The drawing of Reilly's gift enter-

prise is announced to come off sometime during the present month. -The religious furore among the colored people continues. There will be quite a number of immersions next Sun-

Gents' Oxford Ties, Prince Alberts and Opera Slippers, at the "City Shoe Store," corner of Commercial avenue and Eighth street.

-The funeral train that passed along Washington avenue yesterday afternoon, was that of Mat Price's wife. Price is a colored man who keeps a family grocery on Cedar street. See advertisement of Dr. Butts' Dispen

sary, headed Books for the Million-Marriage Guide-in another column. It should be read by all. -Two colored blades, named Wade Hampton and Steve Bradley, were each fined \$5 and costs, yesterday, for fast

driving along one of our principal thoroughfares. The fines were paid. -The organization of a regular prize fight, between two down-town roughs, was prevented by the police yesterday evening, The affair created a perfect whirl of ex-

citement for a time. -Mr. Mathew Clark is an applicant for a position in the city police force. Mr. Clark's friends urge his claims on the ground that he is capable, industrious and scrupulously honest.

-Musquitoes were again troublesome resterday, in some parts of the city. The effection, however, that the pestiferous insects were "taking" Paducah was rather consoling.

-A floating circus, on a small scale, is being organized in Mound City. It would be strange indeed if anything of that kind should be gotten up in Egypt without the assistance of Perry Powers.

-Bring your Goodev's, Ballous' or any other magazines or periodicals you may have lying around loose, to the BULLETIN Bindery, and have them neatly and securely bound. The cost will be only a trifle.

... There is an increasing inquiry for welling houses in Cairo. Some of our heavy manufacturing firms propose to erect a number of tenement houses, we understand, for the occupancy of their -The Villa Ridge Horticultural Socie-

ty has determined, we understand, that neither prayer, benzine, norswearing will destroy the curculio. Orchardists will, therefore, be compelled to resort to some -Yesterday was a pleasant day for out-

loor business operations, but there were very few operations to be out. There was, in fact, an unusual quiet in business circles. The city wore a dull, sleepy aspect during the entire day. We are sorry to learn that all efforts to find the body of little Carl Thomas

little fellow fell into the river, with the hope of raising his body. -Beile Taylor, a colored female of a most vicious nature, was arrested, yesterday, for using abusive and threatening language. The fine was \$10 and costs, to pay which she will subsist on calaboose

fare until the 2nd day of June next. -There was quite a futter among the demireps yesterday. Cain and Sheehan devoted a portion of the day to bringing them to their periodical account for their transgressions. Quite a number of them were fined. The raid is not yet ended.

-Haley, charged with the murder of Harrington, in the streets of Metropolis, a short time ago, and Grasshopper Sam, whose fame and deeds are familiar to our readers, will be tried in the Pulaski circuit court during the present session.

-It is expected that Gen. Logan will be the orator of the day, at Mound City, on Decoration day, viz.: May 30th. An invitation is extended to everybody to be present and participate in this annual game." tribute to the memory of the country's dead heroes.

-Alf Burnett had a good house last night, and delighted everybody. Hi's lightning transformations" were most wonderful, and his entertainment generally of the most amusing and refreshing character He will make his last appearance this evening.

-Judge Wm. A. Lemms, a simon pure Democrat, was elected to the office of school trustee, in the Radical town of Carbondale a few days since. He was brought out just one hour and forty minutes before the closing of the polis, and beat his strongest Radical competitor seventeen

Votes. -Dr. Brigham effected a purchase of the Harnish farm at Villa Ridge, a few days ago. The price paid was \$2.500. The farm is one of the most desirable in that locality, and will, this year, produce \$1,000 worth of peaches. Dr. Brigham purchased the place as a homestead for his father.

-At an Episcopal fair, held in Mound City, last week, a gold ring was swarded by ballot to the handsomest young lady in attendance. The contest was between Miss Annie Fair, of Mound City, and Miss Thatcher, of Columbus. One thousand and thirty ten cent votes were polled,

a small majority was cast for Miss Thatcher. The ring netted the church \$103.

- Eichoff & Bro's new furniture factory is enclosed and roofed, and nearly ready to receive the machinery. It is thought by the 1st of June the new establishment will be ready to go into operation. It is one of the largest, and will be one of the completest furniture factories in the Southwest.

-The subject of a wagon road to the Cairo cemetery is being agitated. A "narrow path" will do, as only now and then a traveler will use it; but it should be provided nevertheless. The expense attending the conveyance of bodies thither by rall is beyond the reach of poor peo--The colored girl who, in a paroxyem of religious excitement, fell over a bench

last Sunday, and broke three of her ribs,

declares that she sustained the injury

while "fighting the devil." If she speaks

the truth, the fact is quite apparent that the "old boy" is "too many for her." The next tussle, he may break her neck. -The proceeds of a donation party gotten up in Mound City, the other day, for the benefit of the Rev. Mr. Van Treas, amounted to upwards of \$200. Mr. V. T. is well known in Cairo, as a kindhearted amiable gentleman, and as deserving of all the favors our Mound City neighbors may feel disposed to bestow

-The ever-bearing strawberry, the plants of which sold for \$3,00 per dozen ast year, are pronounced a failure in Southern Illinoise, when compared with the Wilson and Agriculturalist. They are inferior alike in size, appearance and flavor. It is alleged, however, that the size can be regulated in a great measure by

-The "country press" are unanimously of the opinion that "Dan Rice's Greatest Show on Earth," now traveling in the West, is the most consummate humbug extent. The members of the troupe are denounced as a strolling band of loafers and dead-beats. It is a well-known fact that Dan Rice never did proprietor any other than a "one horse circus."

-- An old colored woman who claims that she is the "seventh daughter of the seventh son, and was born under the influence of the seventh moon"-informs us that on the 1st day of June a drouth will commence that will not end until the middle of August. She therefore admonishes ber friends to husband their cistern water, and hurry up the crops, as fast as possible.

-To-morrow evening is the time fixed upon by the ladies of the Episcopal church, for their strawberry supper and festival. Thornton's large new building, which presents a hall 25 by 100 feet, is the place. The entertainment will prove a delightful one; the strawberries, tream, etc., delicious, and the welcome of the lady managers broad enough and cordial enough for everybody. Therefore, go.

-The examination of Prof. Wirsching (the German) school will commence this morning, and not this afternoon, as stated yesterday. The pupils will undergo s thorough examination in the branches they have been studying, and those who know the Professor can testify that he practices no delusions. The actu ficiency of every pupil will be put to the have proved ineffectual. Twenty-four test. Parents of the children and friends of the school are invited to attend. guns were fired Monday, near where the

-Madam Ferris, the "medium" gravely informed her audience here, that money had nothing to do with her coming to Cairo. She visited this city simply to please the people of Memphis. It was beerved, however, that the madam never failed to exact a dollar from each male member of her audience. We are fully persuaded that a little light on her dark cenes, would divest them of much of their mystery, and, most likely, rob the madam of her occupation.

-If we could foretell the base ball accidents that the usual devotion to the game in Cairo, will insure, quite a number of our now enthusiastic base ballists would beg to be excused." Already an arm and finger have been broken; a knee-cap crushed; several eyes have been blackened, and, yesterday, a little shaver narrowly escaped scalping. The bat slipped from the hand of a young man who was batting for practice, and striking the little lad on the back of the head, knocked him, for the time, senseless. Nevertheless it's "a noble

- "A man of sin" is amazed at the diversity of opinions and creeds prevailing among christians, who claim to found their faith on the Bible. This wretched man remarked to the editor of a neighboring journal, recently: "I attended two church festivals last night. At one, the crowd was singing hymns and praying; at the other they were fiddling and daneing. I can't understand it-hang me if I can; for you see in both cases ---But the newspaper man would hear no more. He turned sorrowfully away, marvelling that the sinful man did not know that "where reason ends. God begins!"

-Mr. Davis, who came down from the mouth of Cach, yesterday, informed us that about four miles above town he heard the whining of a dog, but for sometime was unable to determine from whence the sounds proceeded. Continuing his serch a few minutes, he discovered that some beartless wretch had chunked up a dog in the hollow of a log lying near the river bank, and left him there to starve. The poor creature had evidently been imprisoned a week or ten days, as he was so weak from starvation, as to be scarcely able to walk. The less than man, and worse than beast, guilty of such cruelty, should now be bolognaized for the starved

THE TRICKS OF TRADE.—The effort on the part of some of our hucksters to secure the "first pick" from the vegetable wagons coming into our city, often gives rise to very spirited contention. About three clock yesterday morning an enterprising member of that class of traders posted himself on the sidewalk about a half mile above the court house, with a view of "way-laying" a load of green peas that were expected to arrive in town about daybreak. He felt quite sure of his prize, and felicitated himself on the advantage it would give him in the trade of the carly morning. While waiting on the sidewalk, and congratulating himself on his promised success, a rival huckster was stealing by him, underneath the sidewalk, determined to gobble the same batch of peas. The "dodge" was a good one, but not quite saccessful. No. 2 finally stole beyond the eye and ear-shot of his rival, and emerged from his cover. Thinking it possible that a third huckster was still beyond him, he made up his mind, as Botts once did, "to head 'em or die," and actually visited the garden from whence the supply was expected. Finding a coualready gathered, he dumped them into a wheel barrow which he found at hand. and actually wheeled the load, a distance of two miles, to his place of business, in the city. This he thought "sharp," though somewhat laborious "practice," and it was; but the result scarcely justified the effort, since, on his return, he found his competitor "up to his eyes" in peas, and measuring them out by pecks and half bushels to a perfect crowd of customers, and manifestly ignorant of the effort that

While No. 2 was under the sidewalk the market wagon passed him, and with its entire contents, fell into the hands of his enteprising competitor.

had been put forth to "head him."

THAT CALICO BALL.-Arrangements are maturing for a "calico hop" in the St. Charles hotel, on Monday evening, next. that will eclipse all re-unions of that kind ever held in Southern Illinois. Gentlemen have the affair in hand who are au fait managers, and are putting forth their best exertions to bring about the result we have predicted. Cairo is somewhat noted for the uniform success and brilliancy of her social re-unions, but, to borrow a phrase from an eloquent divine of the ity, we shall expect the hop of Monday to "clap the climate of all former successors in that line of intrusting amazements. The members of the Committee of Arrangements will be distinguished by budges of blue ribbon; Reception Committee by red ribbon; Supper Committee by purple ribbon; Floor Managers by white ribbons. Gentlemen from Mound City and Charleston, as well as from Cairo, have been selected as committeemen, and will doubtless be present to assist in the nanagement.

THE CUSTOM HOUSE GROUNDS .- Seven thousand cubic yards of earth are yet to be placed on the grounds of the new custom house. The job will be let to the lowest and best bidder, and since we have the men and teams in Cairo that need the work, we hope the best and lowest bidder will be a Cairoite. The work must be performed under the direction of the cuspleted on or before the 1st day of November, 1871.

We publish a notice in another column over the signature of G. H. Sease, inviting sealed proposals, and furnishing all needful information. Read it.

MRS. FERRIS.-We have been informed that Mrs. Ferris' masculine mediumistic assistant proposes to utterly " wipe out" any individual who shall dare to throw light upon or into her dark sceanes. The madame's mortal fear of light is evidence, almost conclusive, that her "manifestations" are simply trickery that is liable to be exposed at any time by the flash of a dark lantern. The little wonder she excited by her first seance here, has been

turned into disgust by the subsequent ones. Since madame Ferris exacts pay for an entertainment that is neither literary charitable nor religious, why is it she is not compelled to take out license? We again ask the attention of the police to the matter.

A CARD.-We, the undereigned, passengers on Capt. Dexter's boat, the Quickstep, from Cairo to Mound City, on Friday, May 12, take pleasure in hereby expressing our sincere gratitude to Capt D. and his officers for their kindness to us during our short trip, and take great pleasure in reccommending the Quickstep to the trvelling public as the boat for comfort and safety.

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Louis, Mo. my9dw6m Particular attention is called to the ladies', misses and children's colored shoes, of which a very choice and stylish stock may be found at the City Shoe Store.

my 17tf Men's Pine Seal Skin Guiters, and also "Prince Alberts," at Elliott & Haythorn's. PARTICULAR NOTICES.

To These the Aftention of the Public is Especially Invited.

Alba's .- The barber shop of Wm. Alba, on Commercial avenue, near the corner of Eighth street, is the place to which all overs of a good, close shave with razors barper than the wit of twenty Jerrolds, wind their way.

Meats.-The pranch meat shop of James Synaston, located on Commercial avenue, next door to the grocery store of James Carroll, is now in full blast, and this popular butcher is supplying all the refined meat eaters of that portion of the Fourth Ward with splendid meat. If you have not tried him give him a call. Hime's .- Hime, at the old stand, on Sixth street, near Obio levee, is conduct-

ing his barber shop in a first-class style. It is a model establishment in every particular, and while in his charge all its customers will receive courteous attention, and the benefit of excellent workmanship, Hair cutting, shaving, shampooing, etc.

New Barber Shop .- The razor is might ier than either the sword or pen, and Frederick Netzer handles his razor with more skill than William does his sword or Dickens did his pen; and beyond all doubt, he has the most splendidly furnished shop in the city. He may be found near the corner of Ohio levee, on Eighth street, in the rear of the St. Nichclas Hotel, Give him a call. my5tf

ICE, ICE.

Huse, Loomis & Co. in the Frozen Field

The ice wagons of Huse, Loomis & Co.will commence to deliver ice about the city on Monday, May 1st, and will continue to make daily rounds each morning (Sundays excepted) during the present season. Orders left at the office of the company, corner Ohio levee and Eighth street, will receive prompt attention. Huse, Loomis & Oc. are also prepared to fill all orders in the steamboat and shipping trade. apr27-dlm

EXCFLSIOR SALOON. Corner Washington Avenue and Four-

Fred. Blankenburg's saloon is newly and elegantly fitted up and supplied with the finest wines, liquors, beer, cigars, etc., that can be found in the city; and Fred. has no superior as a dispenser of delightful beverages. Do not forget the place, corner 14th street and Washington avenue.

SUPPER AND STRAWBERRY FES-A supper and strawberry festival will be given by the ladies of the Episerpal

10th street on Thursday evening May 18th. Supper will be served at 7 o'clock. The building has been recently restored and placed upon a new and very secure foundation. The room is spacious and cheerful, and will be pleasantly fitted up for the occasion. Let every one obtain supper there on Thursday night. m143t

FOR RENT.

The house heretofore occupied by Pat-Fitzgerald, on Ohio L Fourth and Sixth streets. This house, if not the best business house is certainly one of the best stands in Cairo. It fronts the principal steamboat landing and is near the Ilinois Central railroad depot. Also the second floor of the same building suitably arranged for offices. Apply next door at Robert Smyth & Co's. wholesale

grocery store. BOARDERS WANTED.

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TAKE NOTICE .- TIME TABLE OF THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD .- On and after Sunday, May 14th, 1871, the following time-table will govern the arrival and departure of passenger trains at Cairo:

Depart-Mail train, daily,......11:45 p.m. Express, daily,......... 2:30 p.m.

Although the regular St. Louis train is taken off both trains out of Cairo will have through cars for St. Louis, which will be taker through from Du Quoin by the trains on the Belleville road. Direct and close connection will be made at Du Quoin, and there will be no change of cars from Cairo to St. Louis. The train leaving Caire at 11:45 p.m will have a through sleeping car for St. Louis. The attention of shippers is especially called to the fact that a Fruit Express train will leave Cairo daily, Saturdays excepted, and will make the run from this city to Chicago in twenty-two hours.

JAS. JOHNSON, Agent.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

New Custom House, Cairo, Illa.,
May lith, 1871

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of Superintendent of the new Custom House, at Cairo, Illinois, until t o'clook p.m., the 24th day of May, 1871, for filing said grading the Custom House Block. The proposals to be made for the cubic yard delivered, and will be measured after sling by the Superintendent or an authorized agent; and 10 per cent of all payments to be retained until completion of the contract. The saith required will be about 7,000 only ayards, more or less, and the filing to be completed on or before the 1st day of November, 1871. All bids mus be accompanied by a boni of two two tensors ble persons in the sam of one thousand dollars that the bidder will accept and perform the contract awarded to him.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all the proposals froposals to be endorsed, "Proposals for Filling and Grading" and subressed G. H. Bease, Superintendent of Custom House, Curo, Illinois.

Mylddet G. H. SEARE, Sup't, New Custom House, Cairo, Illa., May 18th, 1971 pared by the Grafton Medicine Co., St.

RIVER NEWS

PORT LIST. ARRIVALS.

Steamer Illinois, Columbus. Jas. Fisk, Jr., Paducah.

Talisman. R. C. Gray, Louisville. Wild Duck, St. Louis. Painter, Pittsburg.

Glencoe, New Orleans.

Peytons and bgs, New Orleans. Liberty 4, Pittsburg. City Alton, New Orleans. Simpson Horner, Pittsburg.

Gen. Anderson, Tennessee river Little Condor. City Chester, St. Louis.

Mary Alice, New Orleans. Mary Houston, New Orleans. DEPARTURES. Illinois, Columbus.

Jas. Fisk, Jr., Paducah. Talisman, Nashville. R. C. Gray, Arkansas river. Wild Duck, St. Louis.

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Gen. Anderson, St. Louis. Little Condor, Memphis. City Chester. Mary Alice, St. Louis. Mary Houston, Louisville. The Talisman didn't get off as soon

as she expected, though her prolonged stay did not add much to her freight. The weather was exceedingly hot

vesterday, with just air and clouds enough o make it bearable. There will certainly a a storm soon. Dor During the year 1870 there were 4.455 arrivals in steamboats alone, being

an average of about twelve boats per day. Can any other river city beat that? The Mississippi is falling again at St. Louis. The Illinois is declining rapidly and will soon be in a bad condition. The Ohio is falling all the way up, with & feet 10 inches in the channel at Pittsburg, and

The river came to a stand yesterlay, and will be on the decline to-day. Large quantities of drift wood have been loating close to the wharf for three days past, much to the annoyance of boats moored at the landing. It is now floating farther out in the stream. The City of Alton brought 11 hhds

13 feet in the chute at Louisville.

ville; 180 bhds sugar, 10 bales moss, 180 slabs steel, 200 bbls rosin for Chicago and following for Cairo: R. Smyth, 30 bxs, 1 cask wine; Stockfloth, I cash what; Juo. Leemmer, 2 crates cabbage, 10 bbls pota-We have heard it said that the Robt. E. Lee, Katie and Natchez propose to leave

New Orleans on the 1st of July all bound

to St. Louis, and as the story has been

sugar, 20 sks salt, 10 sks coffee for Nash-

often repeated we almost begin to consider it a fact. The rumor further states that the stage planks once drawn in at N. O. are to be

launched only at St. Louis. One year from the date of the old race would be a first rate time for such a trial

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